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SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL INTEREST IN TOURIST TOWER BID

1. DEPT HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM SPEAKER OF HOUSE O'NEILL REQUESTING DEPT ASSISTANCE ON BEHALF OF CONSULTING ENGINEERING FIRM'S BIDDING ON ABU DHABI TOURIST TOWER PROJECT. QUOTE: ...THIS FIRM (HAYDEN, HARDING AND BUCHANAN, INC.), IN CONJUNCTION WITH 3 CANADIAN COMPANIES, HAS SUBMITTED A JOINT VENTURE PROPOSAL TO THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A TOURIST TOWER IN ABU DHABI. THEIR CONCEPT IS ONE OF FOUR ACCEPTED OUT OF A TOTAL OF SIXTY-ONE FIRMS BIDDING FOR THE PROJECT...AND, THE ONLY U.S. FIRM REMAINING IN THE COMPETITION. MR. JOHN HAYDEN, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD,...IS HOPEFUL THAT A SELECTION WAS NOT MADE PRIOR TO THIS DATE... END QUOTE.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE COMMENT. CAGNE UNDERSTANDS THAT CONTRACTOR FOR PROJECT WAS CHOSEN IN MID-JUNE. VANCE

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